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SUBJECT: PRIME MINISTER RABIN DEPARTURE STATEMENT

FOLLOWING ARE REMARKS OF PRIME MINISTER RABIN PRIOR TO HIS
DEPARTURE FROM BEN GURION AIRPORT JANUARY 26:

"THIS MORNING I AM LEAVING ON AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE UNITED
STATES. I WAS INVITED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES,
PRESIDENT FORD. I AM PLEASED TO BE FIRST HEAD OF GOVERNMENT
THAT WILL OFFICIALLY VISIT THE UNITED STATES IN THIS YEAR, THE
BICENTENNIAL YEAR OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION. IN MY VISIT I
WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE A DEEP AND THOROUGH EXCHANGE
WITH THE PRESIDENT, WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE, MEMBERS OF
CONGRESS AND OTHERS, WHICH I BELIEVE IS ADVISABLE TO DO NOW,
THAT IS IN VIEW OF WHAT HAS BEEN DEVELOPING IN THE AREA, THE
PROBLEMS THAT WE FACE AND THE NEED TO ESTABLISH BETTER
UNDERSTANDING AND COOPERATION IN THE EFFORTS TO MOVE THE
PEACE PROCESS AHEAD. OF COURSE I WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO
MEET MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS AND, AS YOU KNOW, I HAVE BEEN
INVITED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE AND THE SENATE TO DELIVER
A SPEECH BEFORE A COMMON SESSION OF THE TWO HOUSES. AFTER
THAT, I WILL TRAVEL FROM THE EAST TO THE WEST COAST AND I WILL
BE ABLE TO MEET MANY PEOPLE AND TO PRESENT THE ISRAELI POSITION,
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THE ISRAELI THOUGHTS, THE ISRAELI EFFORTS TO BRING ABOUT PEACE, TO

MANY PEOPLE ALL OVER THE UNITED STATES. OF COURSE THERE IS A SPECIAL MISSION TO THE JEWISH COMMUNITY, WITH THE LEADERS OF IT AND MANY MEMBERS I WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET ALL OVER THE UNITED STATES. I DON'T BELIEVE THAT GOING INTO ADDITIONAL DETAILS AT THIS STAGE IS ADVISABLE. AFTER ALL, THE PURPOSE OF THE TALKING IS TO MEET THE LEADERS OF THE UNITED STATES IN A PERSONAL WAY TO EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH THEM AND NOT WITH THE MEDIA. THANK YOU VERY MUCH."

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